

KIDS COUNT MS Indicators - Leflore County to Yazoo County

County	Total Population Under Age 18	Total Preschool Population 0-4	Total Population	Low Birth-Weight Babies as % of All Births			Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 Live Births) 5-Year Average			Births to Single Teens as % of All Births			Child Deaths Ages 1-14 by Number and by Rate (per 100,000 Children)				
				2002	1998	% Change	1998-2002	1994-1998	% Change	2002	1998	% Change	2002 #	2002 Rate	1998 #	1998 Rate	% Change
Mississippi	774,404	203,205	2,844,658	11.2	10.1	11	10.4	10.6	-2	14.3	16.3	-12	218	34.5	243	39.3	-12
Leflore	11,291	2,961	37,947	12.2	8.4	45	13.4	11.5	17	22.1	27.9	-21	4	44.0	4	43.5	1
Lincoln	8,879	2,286	33,166	9.4	8.8	7	6.8	9.7	-30	12.3	16.7	-26	4	56.9	5	73.4	-22
Lowndes	17,540	4,756	61,586	11.6	9.4	23	10.3	14.6	-29	14.5	14.3	1	2	14.1	10	70.7	-80
Madison	21,342	5,815	74,674	12.3	10.1	22	10.6	7.9	34	10.4	12.6	-17	4	22.0	6	34.8	-37
Marion	7,115	1,717	25,595	11.0	10.7	3	5.8	7.8	-26	14.3	17.9	-20	2	35.3	6	97.4	-64
Marshall	9,290	2,475	34,993	12.4	12.2	2	13.0	11.1	17	16.5	17.0	-3	2	26.3	3	39.8	-34
Monroe	10,357	2,527	38,014	11.6	10.4	12	11.0	12.5	-12	13.7	14.7	-7	2	24.8	0	0.0	**
Montgomery	3,270	752	12,189	11.2	13.1	-15	27.0	19.0	42	19.1	27.7	-31	0	0.0	1	37.0	-100
Neshoba	8,144	2,216	28,684	10.3	9.4	10	8.9	12.5	-29	16.7	15.9	5	2	30.3	1	15.5	96
Newton	5,732	1,538	21,838	8.9	9.8	-9	9.0	19.6	-54	10.4	12.4	-16	0	0.0	1	22.0	-100
Noxubee	3,851	1,017	12,548	16.0	12.1	32	22.0	24.9	-12	13.4	16.9	-21	0	0.0	2	61.3	-100
Oktibbeha	9,048	2,551	42,902	9.0	9.0	0	7.4	7.4	0	11.2	11.6	-3	1	13.8	1	13.9	-1
Panola	10,104	2,585	34,274	12.2	12.3	-1	11.1	19.6	-43	19.3	21.0	-8	0	0.0	6	72.1	-100
Pearl River	13,125	3,424	48,621	9.1	7.1	28	6.6	7.6	-13	12.8	13.5	-5	2	18.6	6	56.9	-67
Perry	3,477	912	12,138	12.4	8.1	53	6.5	3.2	103	10.7	16.8	-36	1	35.4	0	0.0	**
Pike	10,775	2,871	38,940	13.9	10.6	31	7.4	6.5	14	16.3	19.0	-14	4	45.5	6	68.5	-34
Pontotoc	7,354	1,966	26,726	8.2	7.8	5	4.2	8.5	-51	9.7	10.2	-5	2	33.1	2	36.7	-10
Prentiss	6,405	1,740	25,556	10.4	7.1	46	9.7	11.1	-13	10.7	11.1	-4	0	0.0	1	21.1	-100
Quitman	3,231	811	10,117	11.6	14.8	-22	13.0	7.7	69	25.9	25.6	1	3	118.8	3	119.4	-1
Rankin	29,766	8,062	115,327	8.8	9.9	-11	7.3	7.9	-8	8.5	10.1	-16	18	72.0	8	34.6	108
Scott	8,117	2,139	28,423	11.6	11.4	2	14.9	11.9	25	13.6	15.9	-14	6	91.9	2	34.5	166
Sharkey	2,175	548	6,580	14.0	11.9	18	3.6	3.1	16	18.0	25.4	-29	1	64.1	2	107.0	-40
Simpson	7,706	1,941	27,639	12.7	9.9	28	11.9	10.7	11	14.1	17.9	-21	2	32.2	4	69.0	-53
Smith	4,453	1,122	16,182	15.5	8.7	78	8.8	7.5	17	9.5	14.1	-33	3	88.7	1	29.6	199
Stone	3,679	933	13,622	10.1	5.9	71	8.0	14.0	-43	13.1	8.6	52	2	66.3	1	33.6	98
Sunflower	9,593	2,390	34,369	13.8	11.6	19	15.6	11.0	42	25.3	27.8	-9	8	108.1	6	77.6	39
Tallahatchie	4,483	1,010	14,903	13.5	14.6	-8	4.8	14.7	-67	25.4	25.6	-1	2	58.4	0	0.0	**
Tate	6,889	1,824	25,370	12.7	9.4	35	11.4	11.4	0	13.2	14.5	-9	0	0.0	0	0.0	**
Tippah	5,202	1,331	20,826	13.8	7.0	97	8.0	12.8	-38	7.8	11.4	-32	3	69.9	0	0.0	**
Tishomingo	4,385	1,106	19,163	9.4	9.4	0	8.6	9.8	-12	8.5	6.5	31	0	0.0	2	58.8	-100
Tunica	2,902	776	9,227	13.0	13.9	-6	22.2	16.4	35	18.5	28.3	-35	3	123.2	0	0.0	**
Union	6,585	1,849	25,362	10.8	9.8	10	7.9	10.4	-24	12.0	12.6	-5	0	0.0	0	0.0	**
Walthall	4,322	1,075	15,156	12.1	12.8	-5	10.9	11.6	-6	14.4	18.1	-20	0	0.0	0	0.0	**
Warren	14,154	3,732	49,644	10.4	10.2	2	10.5	11.4	-8	16.0	18.7	-14	5	43.4	4	34.7	25
Washington	19,768	5,223	62,977	13.5	10.1	34	12.3	12.4	-1	20.8	26.1	-20	9	57.6	7	40.5	42
Wayne	6,188	1,608	21,216	9.1	8.7	5	9.2	16.6	-45	16.2	15.2	7	2	40.8	3	60.4	-32
Webster	2,676	670	10,294	7.6	6.8	12	9.8	3.0	227	16.7	13.6	23	0	0.0	1	44.6	-100
Wilkinson	2,669	589	10,312	11.3	11.8	-4	5.8	9.6	-40	15.5	19.4	-20	0	0.0	1	45.8	-100
Winston	5,400	1,370	20,160	8.8	13.9	-37	9.6	8.1	19	15.9	20.8	-24	2	47.1	0	0.0	**
Yalobusha	3,340	848	13,051	11.6	6.2	87	7.5	3.4	121	17.7	13.0	36	1	36.6	4	152.4	-76
Yazoo	7,999	2,108	28,149	9.7	14.3	-32	12.0	8.7	38	22.8	20.9	9	4	61.4	1	15.3	302

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County	Teen Deaths by Accident, Homicide, and Suicide Ages 15-19					% of Students Eligible for Free and Reduced Lunch as an Indicator of Child Poverty			% Births to all Singles as an Indicator of Single Parent Families			Annual Unemployment Rate***			Graduation Rate									
	by Number		%		C	H	A	N	G	E	%		C	H	A	N	G	E	C	H	A	N	G	E
	and by Rate		(per 100,000 Teens)								2002	1998												
	#	Rate	#	Rate	#	Rate	2002	1998	2002	1998	2002	1998	2002	1998	2002	1998	2002	1998	2003	1999	2003	1999	2003	1999
Mississippi	178	77.8	173	76.3	3	64.7	54.3	19	47.1	45.4	4	6.8	5.4	26	81.3	74.3	9							
Leflore	2	58.3	6	160.8	-67	90.8	87.3	4	68.6	68.5	0	11.3	9.1	24	79.4	71.9	10							
Lincoln	3	119.2	2	74.0	50	57.2	45.3	26	32.2	36.9	-13	7.1	5.1	39	87.5	82.6	6							
Lowndes	2	43.0	6	120.5	-67	63.8	51.5	24	45.9	42.2	9	9.5	7.7	23	80.1	73.6	9							
Madison	5	96.3	3	57.6	67	47.9	47.4	1	38.0	34.8	9	4.2	3.2	31	85.2	82.2	4							
Marion	0	0.0	1	44.7	-100	78.7	62.4	26	46.1	43.8	5	5.2	6.0	-13	83.8	86.9	-4							
Marshall	2	68.9	2	66.6	0	79.5	75.2	6	56.2	52.0	8	9.8	5.7	72	81.1	68.1	19							
Monroe	1	34.1	5	174.3	-80	61.0	47.5	28	39.5	38.9	2	11.0	10.4	6	83.7	77.0	9							
Montgomery	1	102.8	3	315.5	-67	71.1	62.1	14	54.6	60.7	-10	13.0	6.3	106	98.0	74.4	32							
Neshoba	3	131.7	5	214.4	-40	63.8	44.8	42	50.0	44.1	13	6.1	3.7	65	77.2	74.6	3							
Newton	3	167.3	2	116.6	50	62.8	50.0	26	39.4	39.9	-1	7.7	5.4	43	80.0	77.7	3							
Noxubee	0	0.0	1	88.0	-100	96.6	88.2	10	56.2	58.9	-5	12.5	10.3	21	82.1	77.4	6							
Oktober	2	41.7	4	83.6	-50	70.0	60.6	15	41.0	42.4	-3	3.5	2.7	30	76.3	74.0	3							
Panola	4	134.7	3	101.7	33	81.6	71.0	15	57.3	56.2	2	11.1	8.6	29	76.0	71.6	6							
Pearl River	3	81.4	1	29.5	200	61.9	44.0	41	37.2	33.1	12	4.5	4.2	7	85.9	80.3	7							
Perry	0	0.0	0	0.0	**	68.9	53.9	28	36.5	36.5	0	9.4	7.0	34	79.9	69.9	14							
Pike	1	29.5	1	300.3	0	77.2	67.8	14	57.9	51.0	14	7.0	4.9	43	86.4	78.5	10							
Pontotoc	0	0.0	2	103.2	-100	47.6	33.3	43	26.1	23.1	13	5.0	3.9	28	95.6	83.2	15							
Prentiss	3	139.3	2	117.0	50	56.8	42.6	33	32.7	27.3	20	6.0	7.4	-19	89.0	81.9	9							
Quitman	3	364.1	0	0.0	**	97.9	89.7	9	82.3	71.6	15	11.2	10.8	4	72.2	74.0	-2							
Rankin	5	58.8	5	61.6	0	37.6	26.3	43	27.6	25.7	7	3.2	2.3	39	91.2	82.4	11							
Scott	2	91.0	3	149.6	-33	75.0	62.6	20	53.7	50.1	7	6.4	4.3	49	82.7	72.6	14							
Sharkey	0	0.0	1	134.6	-100	97.7	94.7	3	69.0	74.6	-8	14.6	13.4	9	68.9	67.9	1							
Simpson	4	191.6	2	97.8	100	73.9	61.9	19	44.1	42.9	3	5.2	9.8	-47	77.2	77.2	0							
Smith	2	177.0	2	170.4	0	61.8	45.0	37	34.0	38.2	-11	5.2	3.8	37	89.2	83.0	7							
Stone	0	0.0	0	0.0	**	54.6	44.8	22	38.9	31.9	22	6.3	5.1	24	89.7	85.0	6							
Sunflower	1	29.1	1	32.9	0	93.1	84.6	10	71.8	69.9	3	13.2	11.9	11	79.4	67.6	17							
Tallahatchie	1	80.5	2	148.5	-50	89.9	82.5	9	70.8	61.2	16	11.3	12.4	-9	76.1	84.8	-10							
Tate	2	85.1	0	0.0	**	60.0	49.1	22	48.0	42.8	12	6.6	4.4	50	75.6	79.0	-4							
Tippah	0	0.0	3	197.1	-100	58.9	40.6	45	31.3	28.8	9	8.2	6.4	28	90.4	74.9	21							
Tishomingo	3	261.3	1	84.0	200	52.4	39.5	33	25.6	17.1	50	10.4	11.4	-9	92.4	78.1	18							
Tunica	0	0.0	0	0.0	**	92.0	77.2	19	79.5	79.2	0	6.1	7.7	-21	80.7	61.0	32							
Union	1	58.7	1	54.0	0	51.6	33.6	54	28.6	33.8	-15	6.1	3.8	61	88.5	79.0	12							
Walthall	1	77.8	1	74.4	0	79.8	70.6	13	45.6	45.8	0	8.2	6.1	34	66.0	79.8	-17							
Warren	2	53.4	2	46.4	0	62.6	51.3	22	58.2	54.4	7	6.0	5.0	20	65.6	68.9	-5							
Washington	8	148.5	4	60.7	100	88.9	80.4	11	70.9	69.9	1	13.3	9.2	45	74.9	59.3	26							
Wayne	3	168.0	1	61.5	200	75.1	61.4	22	46.9	42.4	11	10.5	6.7	57	75.0	73.9	1							
Webster	0	0.0	0	0.0	**	59.9	44.9	33	46.2	32.6	42	22.5	4.7	379	85.6	85.9	0							
Wilkinson	2	222.5	1	132.1	100	82.8	86.7	-5	64.1	59.0	9	11.1	10.2	9	84.2	82.2	2							
Winston	0	0.0	3	183.3	-100	76.3	62.9	21	50.0	53.1	-6	12.7	7.6	67	77.8	79.2	-2							
Yalobusha	0	0.0	3	315.5	-100	74.1	66.0	12	52.5	45.8	15	7.8	5.8	34	76.0	76.6	-1							
Yazoo	1	44.1	4	168.3	-75	92.2	83.5	10	66.1	58.5	13	8.6	8.2	5	72.6	57.7	26							

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